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Subject: RE: ATSDR Statement regarding the use of the ATSDR Chronic MRL

This looks good to me. Any questions?

Did DCHI already put out a statement?

Molly, what was the measurement for August? Do we have the data yet?

-Ed

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Subject: ATSDR Statement regarding the use of the ATSDR Chronic MRL

Ed

While we are preparing a review of the air monitoring data for the SH Bell facility in SE Chicago, we wanted to communicate a clear statement regarding the use of the ATSDR Chronic Inhalation MRL for manganese:

The Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry's Division of Toxicology and Human Health Studies concurs with DCHI that it is appropriate to use the Chronic Inhalation MRL for manganese to evaluate the public health implications of environmental exposures to manganese over a period as short as 3 months.

Let me know if you have any questions regarding this statement or our policies.

Mark

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